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OF FETAL AND NEONATAL HEMATOPOIETIC STEM AND PROGENITOR CELLS OF THE

**BLOOD** 

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please add the following new claims:

60 (new). A method for treating a human patient having a disease or disorder comprising introducing into the patient a composition comprising a cryoprotective agent and human neonatal or fetal hematopoietic stem cells derived from the blood.

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